

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Plague.
Another case of plague is reported from Keneh.

Cairo French Hospital.
Mme. Beyerlé has presented the French Hospital in Cairo with £200 for the endowment of a bed in memory of her late husband.

Ethel Pain Memorial Hospital.
The Earl and Countess of Meath will inspect the new building of the Ethel Pain Memorial Hospital at Old Cairo on Saturday, 14th inst.

Excelsior.
Rumours are afloat that the projected hotel opposite the Savoy will be called the Excelsior. Let us hope it will be its name. We have enough sky-scrapers in Cairo and the sun is our best disinfectant.

Weather in Upper Egypt.
Our Luxor Correspondent telegraphs that the temperature at Luxor on Saturday at 9 a.m. was 66 deg. and at noon 73 deg. Fahrenheit, which is remarkably cool for the time of year.

University for Alexandria.
The Council of Ministers has decided to grant a large plot of Government land—24,000 metres in area—situated at Gabbari, to the Alexandria Ulema Board, for the purpose of building a large religious university.

Charge of Assault.
This morning, Spiro Bilul was brought up at the British Consular Court, Cairo, on a charge of wounding Raffaele Greek Cumbo on Saturday, 31st ulto. The proceedings were not concluded at the time our reporter telephoned.

Hashish Seizure.
The Coast Guards seized 67 kilos of hashish as the drug was being lowered from a boat in Alexandria harbour on Saturday. The weight of the hashish was discovered by them in the eastern harbour, as reported in our last issue, was no less than 1,045 kilos.

Wilson Pacha's Will.
Mr. James Wilson (Wilson Pacha), of 19, Lynton-road, Hampstead, and formerly of Cairo, who died on February 24, left estate valued at £20,141 15s. gross, in the United Kingdom, the net personalty being sworn at £19,872 4s. 7d. Probate of his will dated March 22, 1881, has been granted to his widow, Mrs. Annie Wilson, of 19, Lynton-road, to whom he left the whole of his estate absolutely.

Luncheon on the Pyramids.
Moonlight parties to Mena House Hotel are as popular as ever, notwithstanding that there has been a great exodus from Cairo. Mr. Sloman and a party were quite early at Mena House Hotel on Saturday. Mr. Sloman had invited some friends to climb the Pyramids. The party went up accompanied by a crowd of servants, who carried luncheon baskets and wine cases, and had lunch on top of the big Pyramid. The whole party returned afterwards to Mena House Hotel and had dinner there.

Institution for the Blind at Zeitoun.
It may interest many of our readers to know that the concert given in aid of the above institution at Shepherd's Hotel on the 21st March last was a financial success. We have been favoured with a copy of the report of the committee from which we gather that the total receipts were P.T. 7,500 and the expenses P.T. 1,118, leaving a balance of P.T. 6,382, which amount has been duly handed over to the president of the committee of the institution, who, in acknowledging the receipt of the cheque, thanks the promoters, the artists, and all who gave their services, for their very great kindness in so substantially aiding a most deserving charity.

Murder Will Out.
On the 25th of last month, on the occasion of the holding of the weekly market at El Hamam, a murder was committed at some distance from that village, a Bedouin having been found shot in the head. The police took the matter in hand, but until yesterday no trace of the murderer could be found. Yesterday was again the market day and a police officer belonging to the Mariout district who was on duty there received information to the effect that the murderer, a Bedouin like his victim, was to be found at Sidi Gaber. He at once proceeded by train in company with his informant, who pointed the man out near Sidi Gaber caracol. The murderer was thereupon arrested and in his possession was found a new revolver with six chambers loaded, besides twelve rounds of ammunition. It appears that the man, knowing his victim to possess a large sum of money, had followed him after the fair and, taking the opportunity of his being asleep in a field, had shot him through the head, afterwards taking a sum of about £70 off the body.

Spend your Holidays at Mena.
The management of Mena House Hotel has arranged special terms for residents of Cairo, Alexandria, and country from the 10th of April to the 10th of May. [Advt.]

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Full Pension from P.T. 50 a day. Visitors from Cairo night at 25 pence per night.
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GERMANY, TURKEY, AND EGYPT.

THE SULTAN AND TABAH.

HOW TO REOPEN THE EGYPTIAN QUESTION.

(Gazette's Special Service.)
LONDON, Monday.
The "Daily Telegraph's" Correspondent at Constantinople says that well-informed Turkish circles attribute the Sultan's objection over the Tabah affair to the suggestions of Germany, who is trying to persuade him to ask for the arbitration of The Hague Tribunal, thus reopening the whole Egyptian question, with a prospect of the ultimate recovery of the province.

Our contemporary "Al Mokattam" states that Turkish posts are now established all along the line from Gaza to Akaba and are stopping caravans on the frontier. Our contemporary adds that a number of traders and Bedouins have been robbed by these warriors.

MARCH TRADE RETURNS.

(Gazette's Special Service.)
LONDON, Monday.
The trade returns for March show increases exceeding 4 1/2 millions in imports and 3 1/2 in exports.

ANOTHER DEATH-DEALING WEAPON.

(Gazette's Special Service.)
LONDON, Saturday.
The "Echo de Paris" to-day reports the discovery of a marvellous invention of a quick-firing gun by an Artillery officer, which is capable of firing 600 shots a minute. The bullets, instead of being concentrated in one direction, are distributed over a radius of 160 degrees.

AMERICAN MINERS PROPOSE ARBITRATION.

(Gazette's Special Service.)
LONDON, Saturday.
The "Times" Correspondent at New York states that the coal miners have proposed arbitration. They are taking this step, it is said, in view of the great public interests which are involved.

AMERICAN STOCKS & SHARES.

(Gazette's Special Service.)
NEW YORK, Saturday.

	Yesterday	To-day
Aitobison	96 1/2	96 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	116 1/2	117 1/2
Canadian Pacific	177 1/2	178 1/2
Chicago and Milwaukee	182 1/2	183 1/2
Erie	46 1/2	46 1/2
Illinois Central	178 1/2	179 1/2
Louisville	155 1/2	156 1/2
New York Central	150 1/2	150 1/2
Pennsylvania Shares	72 1/2	73 1/2
Philadelphia and Reading	70 1/2	71 1/2
Southern Pacific	60 1/2	61 1/2
Union Pacific	152 1/2	153 1/2
U.S. Steel	43 1/2	44 1/2
Prof.	101 1/2	101 1/2

GARBIEH LAND COMPANY.

We hear that the omission of shares of this new company has been a great success, being covered more than three times over.

THE SUCRERIES.

M.M. Herschitz and Roux de Venos have now entered on their functions as co-syndics. The Parquet is at present busily engaged in examining the records of the Sucerries.

THE CRONIER BILLS.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Orleans Railway Company was held in Paris last week, when the question of the Cronier bills was discussed. It was unanimously acknowledged that the Board of Directors did not act against the statutes by discounting these bills with the reserve funds of the company, although it was admitted that the operation was attended with disastrous results.

At the meeting of the Société Générale, held the same day, the Cronier bills were also mentioned; but before the question could be developed, the chairman announced that the managing director of the Société Générale had already resigned the directorship of the unfortunate Egyptian Sugar Refineries, as well as of other ventures, and would in future devote himself exclusively to the steadily-increasing affairs of the bank.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The S.S. Sailor Prince, from Antwerp, and London, with passengers and general cargo, left Malta on Saturday, and is due at Alexandria on Wednesday morning next.

Anglo-American Nile Steamers
HOTEL COMPANY.
River Transport of Goods between Alexandria and Cairo.
THREE SAILINGS A-WEEK.
Agents at Alexandria
ALEXANDRIA BONDED WAREHOUSE CO. LTD

THE KHEDIVÉ.

PRINCE OF WALES' PROMISE.

PROBABLE VISIT TO LONDON.

H. H. the Khedive has fixed his departure from Cairo for Alexandria for Monday, the 30th inst. The usual reception previous to his leaving the Capital will be held on either Thursday, the 26th, or Saturday, the 28th instants.

We understand that his Highness has invited T.R.H. the Prince and Princess of Wales to pay Egypt another and a longer visit at some future time, which invitation the Royal couple accepted.

It is rumoured that the Khedive will in all probability pay a visit to London this summer at the invitation of his Royal visitors.

KHEDIVÉ ENTERTAINS THE ARCHDUKE.

On Friday last the Khedive gave a small afternoon party at Koubbeh, the guests being T.R.H. the Archduke Joseph and the Archduchess Augusta, the Archduke's Chamberlain and physician, and the lady-in-waiting of the Archduchess, Count Koziebrodski, the Austro-Hungarian Minister, General Thurneysen Pacha, A.D.C., and Mme Baltazzi Stokan and her daughter, in all, with the Khedive, 10 persons. The party first drove round the stables and admired the Khedive's fine stud, then drove over to the fields to watch the horses eating berris, and subsequently proceeded to Monastourah, the other property of the Khedive, close to Koubbeh, where tea had been prepared. Afterwards the Khedive accompanied his guests back to Koubbeh. It was a delightful afternoon, and on Saturday morning, when General Thurneysen Pacha went to the station to see the Archduke off on behalf of the Khedive, the Archduke and Archduchess asked him to present the expression of their thankfulness to the Khedive for the pleasant afternoon they had passed with him.

The Khedive has made a gift of a thoroughbred Arab to the Archduchess.

THE PILGRIMAGE.

Ibrahim Pacha Fathy's report on the pilgrimage will in all probability be published in the near future. The Hag has been a thorough success from every point of view—save that of some of the Bedouins—and not a single Egyptian pilgrim, soldier or official, has fallen a victim to the lawless tribes of the Hedjaz.

THE HEDJAZ RAILWAY.

We hear that the Ottoman authorities are pushing this railway forward as rapidly as possible. S. of Qala' at Medawara towards Tebouk. The line will pass through Tebouk and Qala' at El Akhdar and will then enter a depression with easy gradients and free from any great engineering difficulties till Medina is reached. Herr Meisner, the able German engineer, to whom the construction of the line is mainly due, has been recently on a visit to railroad.

PORT SUDAN AND KHARTOUM WATER-SUPPLY.

Some time ago the Artesian Boring and Prospecting Company received from the Sudan Government the contract for the installation of water supplies by means of artesian wells to the towns of Khartoum and Port Sudan. With regard to the latter place they have just received a telegram from their residing engineer informing them that up-to-date their steam-driven "Express Boring" plant has reached a depth of 400 feet with a first bore-hole, and that already this artesian well is able to supply a certain quantity of fresh water to the inhabitants of Port Sudan.

There seems to be no doubt that the source of the water comes from the mountains situated in the neighbourhood of the town, as the level of the water in the bore-well rises to a considerable height above the sea level. If, however, the output is not sufficient further borings are intended to be made in order to ensure all the necessary supply of water which may eventually be required.

With regard to Khartoum, the company's installation for the supply of fresh water to the whole town, also by means of artesian wells, is on the point of being finished, by means of wells driven to a depth between 250 and 350 feet.

In the course of the works the company have encountered strata of excellent Nubian sandstone, which will ensure a supply of the best pure water.

A CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.

A native boy, while playing with some other boys in the Moharrem Bey quarter yesterday, was run over by a passing cart and succumbed a few hours afterwards to his injuries.

A native youth of 17 was run over by a tramcar yesterday on the Mex line, while he was attempting to cross the rails. He was promptly taken to hospital, but expired a short time afterwards. Some natives who were witnesses of the accident attacked the driver and conductor of the tram and beat them unmercifully, causing them severe injuries.

A native, aged 55 years, was bathing in the sea yesterday near the Alexandria Slaughterhouse, when he was carried out of his depth by the waves and was drowned. His body was recovered.

GREEK INDEPENDENCE DAY.

HELLENIC MUNIFICENCE.

INTERESTING CEREMONY.

The celebration of the anniversary of the declaration of Greek independence on Saturday last will long be remembered by the Greek colony at Alexandria, for the occasion was made use of for laying the foundation-stone of an institution which is destined to be one of the finest educational establishments in Egypt.

The former president of the Hellenic community of Alexandria, the late Mr. Constantino Salvago, left a bequest in his will for the purpose of founding a polytechnic here. After his death the bequest was largely increased by the generosity of Mr. Salvago's widow and two sons. A large plot of land was bought outside Rosetta-gate, in front of the cemeteries, and yesterday afternoon the foundation stone of the institution was laid by Mrs. Argentina Michel Salvago, in the presence of a great concourse of members of the Greek colony and representatives of the other European colonies.

A large tent was set up for the occasion, where a sumptuous buffet was prepared. At 4.30 o'clock the ceremony began with a thanksgiving service conducted by the Greek Orthodox Patriarch Photios I., assisted by all his clergy. The Patriarch, at the conclusion of the service, invoked the blessing of the Most High on the new school by sprinkling holy water, and finished an eloquent harangue with an account of the many acts of generosity by which the Greek colony of Alexandria had benefited owing to the munificence of its wealthy members.

After the Patriarch Mr. Paleologos Georgiou, the headmaster of the Hellenic community's schools, read from a parchment document the formal bequest of the donors, which was afterwards signed by Photios I., Mohamed Bey Hafez, Acting Governor of Alexandria, Mr. N. Scotidis, Hellenic Consul-General, Mr. E. B. Gould, H.B.M.'s Consul General for the City and Port of Alexandria, Schiess Pacha, Vice-President of the Alexandria Municipality, Chataway Bey, Administrator of the Alexandria Municipality, Mr. Emmanuel Benachi and Mr. Michael Sinadino, the President and Vice-President of the Hellenic community, Messrs. Michael and Steffy Salvago, Mrs. Constantino Salvago, and Mrs. Argentina Michel Salvago. The parchment was looked in a metal tube and placed in the orifice of the foundation-stone together with a copy of the "Egyptian Gazette" and the "Harmonia" of the day's date, besides some specimens of current Egyptian coins. Mrs. Argentina Michel Salvago then advanced and, after chiselling the stone with the contents of two bottles of champagne, received a beautifully-chased silver trowel, a mallet, and a hammer, presented by the well-known Italian engineer, Signor Diamanti, and then proceeded to declare the stone "well and truly laid."

A buffalo was then brought forward and sacrificed on the foundation-stone. The feast was afterwards cut up and its flesh distributed to the poor. The fine band of the Alexandria Hellenic community played meanwhile a choice selection of music, and the stone was lowered into its position amidst the acclamations of the assembled multitude. The President of the Hellenic community, Mr. Emmanuel Benachi, then made an eloquent speech wherein he called to mind the good deeds of the benefactors of the Greek colony of Alexandria, such as the late George Avaroff and the late Constantine Salvago, whose noble example was to-day being followed by the surviving members of the family of his predecessor, the late president of the community. Mr. Benachi then declared that the Hellenic colony was shortly to benefit by another act of generosity, for Mr. George Zervoudachi has decided to build at his own expense a Normal College here.

The speaker went on to announce that he would follow Mr. Zervoudachi's example by endowing the Hellenic colony with an orphanage. At these unexpected announcements there was a great outburst of cheering and the crowd rent the air with their acclamations of pleasure at these acts of generosity.

Mr. N. Scotidis, Hellenic Consul-General at Alexandria, then pronounced a brilliant speech, thanking the donors of these splendid gifts in the name of the Greeks of Alexandria. He begged the wealthy members of his race to follow these magnificent precedents, and to set an example of generosity and public spirit whereby the Hellenic community throughout Egypt would ever march in the van of progress.

Mr. Michel Salvago thanked all the speakers on behalf of his mother, his brother, and himself, declaring that he was merely obeying the orders given by his late father in his will, and he hoped that he and his family would hereafter follow the example set by his father in doing other works for the good of his compatriots in Egypt's commercial capital.

After another explosion of cheering the Patriarch Photios I., accompanied by the headmaster of the Hellenic community's schools, walked among the long files of pupils of the schools, who formed a cordon between the speakers and guests and the crowd. His Beatitude addressed words of encouragement and commendation to the youths, urging them to work hard and follow in the path of virtue. The buffet was then thrown open and a handsome repast was partaken of and the memorable ceremony came to an end.

Afterwards a procession was formed of the pupils, headed by their band, and the headmaster and professional staff, who went to the Greek quarter and played a selection of music outside the houses of Messrs. Benachi, Sinadino, Salvago, and Zervoudachi.

COUNCIL OF MINISTERS.

SATURDAY'S DECISIONS.

LAKE MENZALEH TAXES ABOLISHED.

Among the decisions of the Council of Ministers held on Saturday afternoon are the following:—

Mr. Kirkwood James is appointed to study a project for the drainage of Cairo.

A new railway station is to be built at Halk El Gamal on the Delta Light Railway, between Atfeh and Edfina.

The draft decree dealing with the giving of information to the provincial authorities on the appearance of cotton worm in any locality, is approved.

A new company known as the Express Nile Steamer Company is sanctioned.

A new mafran, known as the Mafran Benishir, is to be constructed at Minieh.

The Council also approved of the abolition of taxes formerly imposed on boats on Lake Menzaleh.

THREATENED BARBERS' STRIKE.

The Unione Internazionale dei Parrucchieri Lavoranti di Cairo held a meeting on Friday evening at the Brasserie Fleisch, when some 60 members of the union were present. It was unanimously decided to demand from the masters the closing of their shops entirely on Sunday during the summer months, from the 1st May to the 30th September, and to fix the working hours during week-days from 7.30 a.m. to 8.30 p.m., with an interval of two hours in the middle of the day for meals, instead of one hour and a half, as at present. Should the masters not concede these concessions in full by to-day at the latest, the barbers intend going on strike. It is expected that a compromise will be arrived at when the committee of the union go round this morning for the answers of the masters.

GREEK INDEPENDENCE DAY.

Saturday being the 85th anniversary of the declaration of Greek independence the diplomatic agencies and consulates in Cairo flew their respective flags. A Thanksgiving Service, which was very largely attended, was held at the Greek Orthodox Hamezawi Cathedral at 10 a.m. The personnel of the Greek Diplomatic Agency and Consulate and all the notables of the colony attended the service, over which the Patriarch presided. This service, which lasted an hour, was followed by a reception at the Greek Agency. In the evening a meeting was held at the Greek Club, where M. Boukavalas delivered an eloquent and a patriotic address to an enthusiastic audience.

A.S.C.

SHEM EL-NESSIM MEETING.

The following are the entries for the Shem-el-Nessim Skye Meeting:—

NOVICES RACE.—Prince Omar Pacha Tounoun's Giffan and Kulfan, Ishaq Bey Hussein's Ragah, Hassan Bey Khair el Din's Kasban, Saleh Bey Yaghen's Tamerlan, Khalil Pacha Khayat's Kasaban II. and Skender, Baron J. E. de Menasse's Val d'Or, Mr. D. S. Alderson's Venture, Ibrahim Bey Cherif's White Star, Athara and Ateche, Mr. E. Karam's Douglas and Belesah, Mr. A. J. Sursok's Belesah.

MAIDEN POSEY PLATE.—Prince Omar Pacha's Beylan, Saleh Bey Yaghen's Bulkeley, Hussein Pacha Sioufi's Abou Nadara, Khalil Pacha Khayat's Doughtan, Baron J. E. de Menasse's Radium, Ibrahim Bey Cherif's Sudan, Mr. E. Karam's Chater, Mr. A. J. Sursok's Ray Blas.

TRIAL PLATE.—Prince Omar Pacha Tounoun's Shnehan, Ishaq Bey Hussein's El Tahawi, Hassan Bey Khair el Din's Lahak, Khalil Pacha Khayat's Sirdar, Baron J. E. de Menasse's Ajax, Ibrahim Bey Cherif's Chendi, Derwiche and Dyanymite, Mr. E. Karam's Bayard and Voltigeur, Mr. A. J. Sursok's Prince Soleil.

RESIDENTIAL CUP.—Mr. A. W. Molony's Kiloullen, Mr. W. F. Stirling's Advocate and Two-Step, Lt. Col. A. J. Chapman's Ravachol, Mr. S. G. Smithwick's Black Arrow, Mr. E. V. Knox's Balcorie and Shrimp, Capt. C. B. J. Ricard's Hermit and Grey Dawn, Capt. E. A. Molesworth's Quicksilver, Major G. Downing's St. Michael and St. Patrick, Capt. A. Loveland's Soliman, Capt. E. B. G. Jeffrey's Balquhilly, Capt. R. M. P. Swift's Nero, Mr. A. Wodehouse's Blueboard, Capt. C. T. Grinshaw's Patch.

POSEY STAKES.—Ishaq Bey Hussein's Shahrour, Hussein Pacha Sioufi's Abou Nadara, Khalil Pacha Khayat's Dongan, Baron J. E. de Menasse's Val d'Or and Radium, Capt. C. Craddock's Vio Tinto, Mr. C. Karam's Chater, Mr. A. J. Michaelides' Derry Boy.

LADIES' BRACELET.—Princess Omar Pacha Tounoun's Mleyhan, Ishaq Bey Hussein's Kismet and Nusrat, Hassan Bey Khair el Din's Louban, Saleh Bey Yaghen's Mahout and Tokar, Hussein Pacha Sioufi's Atragak, Khalil Pacha Khayat's Kasaban II. and Zarif III., Baron J. E. de Menasse's Ajax and Hercules, Mr. D. S. Alderson's Venture, Ibrahim Bey Cherif's Kordofan, Sudan and Athara, Mr. E. Karam's Voltigeur and Douglas, Mr. A. J. Sursok's Nigri and Belesah.

APRIL PLATE.—Hussein Pacha Sioufi's Mashkour, Ibrahim Bey Cherif's Chendi and Ateche, Mr. E. Karam's Chater, Mr. A. J. Sursok's Roi de l'Air.

BRITISH RIFLE CLUB (ALEX.).

The first deliberate firing spoon competition of this season will take place, on Mustapha Range, next Saturday, 14th inst., commencing at 2.30 p.m. Practice same time.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

H.H. the Khedive-Mother is leaving Alexandria on Wednesday by the S. S. Prince Abbas for Constantinople.

The Khedive gave audience to Lord Cromer at Abdeen Palace this morning.

It is now stated that the Kaiser has not abandoned his Mediterranean trip. He will travel by the Hamburg-American liner Hamburg, which is being fitted up as a royal yacht.

H. E. Mustapha Pacha Ibadly, the new Governor of Alexandria, is expected to arrive from Cairo this afternoon. He will take up his new duties at the Governorat to-morrow.

The Earl and Countess of Carnarvon are due at Port Said from Caylon shortly. They were accompanied on their travels in Colombo by the Countess of Lanesborough, and are expected back in London shortly after Easter. The Countess of Lanesborough, who was not very well when she left England, has benefited very much by the trip.

Baron Max von Oppenheim is shortly leaving Egypt for Syria on a scientific mission.

Judge and Mrs. Veramer are celebrating the diamond marriage of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Veramer, by an "At Home" on the 15th inst., at the New Khedivial Hotel, Alexandria.

The condition of M. Felix Suarez gives rise to some anxiety. The inflammation of the lungs has apparently subsided but the heart weakness is unfortunately pronounced.

Baron and Baroness von Pitner gave two banquets at the Carlton Hotel on Saturday and Sunday in honour of Rear-Admiral von Jedina.

General and Mrs. Frederic Lance arrived at the Carlton Hotel to-day and leave for Europe on Thursday.

Sir George and Lady Cooper, who have been spending a few days in Italy and Paris after their trip up the Nile, returned home last week.

Sir James Blyth and the Hon. Harry Lawson have also arrived in London from Egypt. Mr. Lawson is to remain the Conservative candidate for Mile End.

The Pilgrims are giving a banquet in London on May 29 in honour of the Right Rev. Bishop Potter, D.D., Bishop of New York and president of the Pilgrims of America.

The funeral of the late Governor of the National Bank of Egypt did not take place as originally arranged on Saturday week, but was unavoidably postponed until last Monday.

The death took place at Alexandria on Saturday, at the age of 78 years, of M. Biahara Basili.

Capt. H. B. Kennedy, 1st King's Royal Rifle Corps, Major A. H. Rutherford and 2nd-Lieut. C. C. A. Cooper, 1st Royal Dublin Fusiliers, have been granted leave of absence.

Lieut. T. H. Dimick, Inspector of Army Schools in Egypt, Malta, etc., has arrived in Alexandria.

Dr. Ronald Kirkness, who acted as medical officer of the Anglo-American Line steamer Victoria during the past season, is returning to England by the P. & O. Sunda, leaving Port Said to-day. He is a brother of Mr. Kirkness of the State Railways.

The living of Deane, Stamford, has been offered, on behalf of the Countess of Cardigan, to the Ven. Archbishop Harris, Chaplain to the King and to the Fleet, by whom it has been accepted. The Archbishop is the possessor of the Egyptian Medal, the Alexandria clasp, and the Khedive's bronze star, 1882.

BULLETIN DE LA BOURSE

(Aujourd'hui et samedi et dimanche)
C'est la Delta Land qui a eu les honneurs de la matinée. Le cours a été porté de 4 3/8 à 4 11/16 sur le flot des transactions.

En sympathie avec la Delta Land, dans laquelle elle est fortement intéressée la Delta Light est montée jusqu'à 13 livres, pour finir demandée à 12 7/8.

En hausse également les Tramways d'Alexandrie, qui s'avancent à 197 les Privilegés et à 375 les Dividendes.

Pour le même motif de corrélation ci-dessus, on s'attend à une reprise prochaine et sensible sur la Ramleh Railway dont les recettes sont toujours plus florissantes.

L'Agricole est demandée à 10 7/32.

Une demande discrète se produit en Crédit Franco-Egyptien, à la suite de l'emprunt que cette banque a réussi à Paris à des conditions avantageuses. On clôture à 5 7/8.

Par contre, une réaction sensible a lieu sur le Comptoir Financier et Commercial. De forts paquets étant jetés sur le marché, le prix tombe de 8 3/16 à 7 7/8.

Parmi les petites valeurs, la Land and General Trust gagne 1/16 à 1 9/32.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

ALGECIRAS.

CONFERENCE AT AN END.

ALGECIRAS, April 7.
The Conference had its last sitting to-day and signed the general act. All the delegates left the meeting congratulating one another. (Reuter)

ALGECIRAS, April 7.
The general act has been signed. All is over. (Havas)

SECOND PEACE CONFERENCE.

RUSSIA'S PROGRAMME.

St. PETERSBURG, April 7.
Russia's programme for the second Peace Conference proposes to limit the work to the further elaboration of the rules of procedure of the arbitration court and the consideration of the rules of warfare, including questions touching private property, sea rights, and the duties of neutrals. It excludes the question of the limitation of armaments. (Reuter)

THE RUSSIAN LOAN.

BERLIN, April 7.
The German banks have refused to participate in the new Russian loan, alleging the approaching issue of a German loan. (Reuter)

RUSSIAN GOVERNOR KILLED.

St. PETERSBURG, April 7.
The Governor of Tver has been killed by a bomb. (Reuter)

TVER, April 7.
The Governor has been killed by a bomb thrown at his carriage. (Havas)

NEW RUSSIAN RAILWAY.

St. PETERSBURG, April 7.
A money grant has been made for a survey of the new strategic railway from Tashkent to Tomsk connecting the Siberian Central Asian system. (Reuter)

HUNGARIAN POLITICS.

BUDAPEST, April 7.
As a result of a compromise with the Crown, the Ministry has been constituted with Herr Wekerle as president, Herr Andrássy at the Interior, and Herr Kossuth at the Commerce. (Havas)

BUDAPEST, April 8.
The Council of Ministers has fixed the elections for the 29th inst. (Havas)

FRENCH FINANCES.

PARIS, April 7.
The Senate has voted the placarding of M. Poincaré's speech refuting the criticisms on the State finances. (Havas)

KING GOES TO CORFU.

MARSEILLES, April 7.
The King and Queen of England have left for Corfu direct. (Reuter)

MARSEILLES, April 7.
The King and Queen of England have left for Corfu. (Havas)

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

PARIS, April 7.
The Duke of Connaught exchanged visits with President Fallières. (Reuter)

FIELD MARSHAL OYAMA RETIRES.

TOKIO, April 7.
Field Marshal Oyama retires at his own request. General Kodama becomes chief of the General Staff. (Reuter)

SCOTCH EXPRESS IN COLLISION.

LONDON, April 7.
A London and Scotland express has been partially wrecked in a collision with a goods train at Kirtlebridge. One man was killed and two injured. (Reuter)

VARSITY BOAT RACE.

CAMBRIDGE WINS.

LONDON, April 7.
Boat Race betting: 11 to 4 on Cambridge. (Reuter)

LONDON, April 7.
Cambridge won by five lengths and led throughout. The Oxford crew appeared in distress. (Reuter)

INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL.

LONDON, April 7.
Scotland beat England by 2 goals to 1 in the Association Football match played to-day. (Reuter)

VESUVIUS' ALARMING ACTIVITY.

FLIGHT OF VILLAGERS.

CONSTANT EXPLOSIONS.

FEARED LOSS OF LIFE.

NAPLES, April 7.
The Prefect of Naples is sending troops and conveyances to remove the panic-stricken villagers. (Reuter)

The eruption of Vesuvius continues to cause alarm.

The village of Boscoreale is encircled by lava; the inhabitants are decamping. (R.)

NAPLES, April 8.
The eruption of Vesuvius is assuming extraordinary proportions. A cone collapsed on the Pompeii side and a new crater has opened on the opposite side. Constant explosions are taking place from the principal crater, which is vomiting red hot rocks to a height of 3,000 feet. Naples is crowded with refugees. The houses have been shaken and many of the inhabitants collected in the squares yesterday night.

The Vesuvius Observatory and Railway have been destroyed, but the scientists escaped in time. Boscoreale has been completely abandoned and the inhabitants of Torre Annunziata are leaving. Avellino and Benevento, which are situated at 20 and 33 miles respectively from Vesuvius, are plunged in darkness. Showers of ashes have been falling since yesterday night. Houses at San Giuseppe have been wrecked. It is feared that some lives have been lost. (R.)

NAPLES, April 8.
The eruption of Vesuvius is becoming more alarming every day. The inhabitants of the neighbouring villages are leaving their homes. (Havas)

PREMIER AND SOUTH AFRICA.

THE GOVERNMENT'S AIM.

LONDON, April 7.
Sir H. Campbell Bannerman complained of attacks on the Government with reference to South Africa, where the Government aimed at the maintenance of British supremacy with equal rights for all whites.

He hoped that the Algeiras settlement would lead to a diminution of the weight of military burdens of nations, wherein Britain could lead the way. (Reuter)

ESCAPE OF BAMBAATA.

TROOPS IN PURSUIT.

DURBAN, April 8.
Bambaata has escaped into Zululand pursued by the troops of Colonel Leuchars. The loyal natives are co-operating. (Reuter)

SOUTH AFRICAN COMMISSION.

LONDON, April 7.
The South African Commissioners have left. (Reuter)

THE NAVY.

NEVER IN BETTER CONDITION.

LONDON, April 7.
At the Fishmongers' Company's banquet to the Ministers, Lord Tweedmouth said that the Navy was never so well equipped, officered, manned, and ready to fight. (Reuter)

BYE ELECTION.

LONDON, April 7.
Bye-Election. Mr. Pearson, Liberal, 4566, Marquis of Graham, Unionist, 4,371, succeeded Mr. Seymour Stevenson, who has resigned. (Reuter)

TRADE OF U. K.

LONDON, April 7.
The imports during March amount to £38,270,587 and the exports £31,651,162, showing an increase of £4,287,275 and £3,580,839 respectively. (Reuter)

All Saints' Church, Cairo.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER 1906.

On MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, and THURSDAY, April 9th to 12th, the Services will be as follows—

Holy Communion, 8.30 a.m.
Morning Prayer, 10.30 a.m.
On GOOD FRIDAY—
Ante Communion, 8.30 a.m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 10.30 a.m.
Evening Prayer and Sermon, 6 p.m.

On EASTER EVE—
Holy Communion, 8.30 a.m.
Morning Prayer, 10.30 a.m.
On EASTER DAY—
Holy Communion, 8.30 a.m., 7.30 a.m., 8.30 a.m., and after Morning Service.

Other Services as on Sundays.
On EASTER MONDAY and TUESDAY—
Holy Communion, 8.30 a.m.
On THURSDAY, April 12th, St. Peter's Sacred Cantata, "THE CRUCIFIXION," will be given in All Saints' Church, at 5.30 p.m. 27679-1

EGYPTIAN COTTON IN SIND.

(FROM THE "TIMES OF INDIA").

Endeavours to introduce foreign varieties of cotton into this country have hitherto proved generally unsuccessful. In some exceptional circumstances they did well at the first sowing, they rapidly deteriorated and the experiments proved to be failures. In most cases, however, they did not grow at all. So uniform, indeed, has been the failure of efforts to introduce new varieties of cotton that the attempt had been declared practically hopeless, and hybridization among the indigenous varieties was supposed to offer the only prospect of improvement in the crop. It is especially gratifying, therefore, to learn from the report of the Bombay Department of Agriculture that the cultivation of Egyptian cotton in Sind has fairly passed the stage of experiment; and may be expected, if it continues as well as it has done during the last two years, to give an output of not less than 100,000 bales in the course of a few years. The experiment was first made in the year before last of sowing Egyptian cotton in the spring so as to enable it to mature before the advent of the winter frosts. Last year the Deputy Director obtained and distributed ten tons of Egyptian seed to select zamindars on the Jamrao Canal. An area of about 1,500 acres was sown with the seed. The yield has been very satisfactory, both in quality and in staple, and the zamindars are said to be anxious to extend its cultivation on a large scale. As it is probable that this seed may retain its superiority of staple if Egyptian methods are closely followed, it is proposed to restrict the cultivation to those zamindars who undertake to sow it under supervision and whose lands can be practically supervised. No signs of deterioration have been observed in the crop of the second year, and it is worthy of note that while the local indigenous variety suffered severely from attacks of bollworm the imported Egyptian variety were almost immune. The two Egyptians that have proved most successful so far are the Abbassi and the Mitaffi. Of the two the former is the more valuable and arrangements have therefore been made to export the seed of the Mitaffi grown this year, and to import a sufficient consignment of Abbassi seed from Egypt. The successful introduction of Egyptian cotton means so much to the mill industry that the results of the current year will be watched with the greatest expectation.

Calendar of Coming Events.

ALEXANDRIA.

April.
Mon. 9 Alhambra. Variety Company. 9.
Sat. 14 Mustapha Range. B.R.C. Spoon Competition and Practice. 2.30.
Sun. 15 Round Point. Pigeon Shooting. 2.30.
Gabbari. Pigeon Shooting. 2.30.
Mon. 16 A.S.C. grounds. Shem el-Nessim Sky Meeting.
Thurs. 19 Alexandria Archaeological Society. Excursion to the Western Necropolis at Mex. 4.
Sat. 21 San Stefano. Flower Show.
Round Point. Trotting Races.
Ziinia Theatre. "Black Diamond" Minstrels.
Sun. 22 San Stefano. Flower Show.
Thurs. 26 Alexandria Archaeological Society. Excursion to the Eastern Necropolis at Chafsy. 5.

CAIRO.

April.
Mon. 9 Meeting of Egyptian Institute. 5.
Theatre des Nouveautés. 9.30.
Alcazar Parisien. 9.30.
Shepherd's Hotel. Small Dance. 10.
Wed. 11 Ghazireh Palace Hotel. Band Performance. 4 p.m.
Fri. 13 Zoological Gardens. Afternoon Concert by the Ghazireh Boys' Band.
Sat. 14 National Hotel. Small Dance. 10.
Sun. 15 Zoological Gardens. E. A. Infantry Band. Afternoon.
Wed. 18 British Recreation Club. Annual general meeting. 6.
Wed. 25 Entertainment in aid of funds of Soldiers' & Sailors' Families Association at Shepherd's Hotel. 9.30.

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ARMY AND NAVY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT).

LONDON, March 30.

On the 6th June next, Brevet-Colonel S. G. Bird, D.S.O., Royal Dublin Fusiliers, will vacate the command of the 1st Battalion in Egypt, to the regret of all ranks. Colonel Bird got his first commission in the old 102nd Royal Madras Fusiliers—now the 1st Battalion of the gallant "Dubs"—in 1874, was promoted captain in 1881, major in 1892, and lieutenant-colonel in June, 1902. He was adjutant of a militia battalion from 1886 to 1889, and also of the Ceylon Volunteer Light Infantry from 1889 till 1894. He was with the Dublins in the South African War, including the opening action of the campaign at Talana Hill; Lombard's Kop; the operations in the Orange Free State, operations in the Transvaal, west of Pretoria; and for some time he was Commandant at Krugersdorp (mentioned twice in despatches, D.S.O., Queen's medal with four clasps, King's medal with two clasps). It is anticipated that Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Gordon, second in command of the 2nd Batt. Buttevant, will get the step; Major A. H. Rutherford will become second-in-command of the 1st Battalion, and the majority will go to Captain R. A. Booth, 2nd Battalion.

Captain W. N. Gordon, Royal Garrison Artillery, has been transferred from No. 2 Company, Cairo, to No. 55 Company, Gibraltar.

Major T. McCulloch, Major J. G. McNaught, and Major J. C. Weir, Royal Army Medical Corps, serving at the War Office, Edinburgh and London respectively, have been selected to go on the Commission which is to enquire into the Mediterranean Fever, which has such baneful effects on our naval and military forces in that water.

It is persistently rumoured that Mr. Haldane intends to reduce the Army by 20,000 men in the near future, despite the official utterances on the subject. "More brains" and "smaller battalions" is to be the new article of faith in Pall Mall if rumour is to be trusted. The Service members of the House are much exercised over the contemplated reduction of our little Army, and the now strong Labour Party, however opposed to militarism and taxation, are averse to anything that would turn 20,000 men into the already crowded labour market. It is said that Mr. Haldane has made good progress amongst the members of the Army Council in favour of his scheme.

There is no better-known "salt" than Captain John A. Tuke, who has been selected for the command of the cruiser Monmouth, which will be commissioned next week to replace the Andromeda on the China Station. Captain Tuke, who has served on the blue in all parts of the world, joined the Queen's Navy in July, 1870, was promoted lieutenant in 1891, commander in 1895, and captain on the last day of 1901. He was a sub-lieutenant on the Pioneer in the Niger Expedition of 1879, and was with the expedition to the capital of the Emir of Nussa, and participated in the operations round and the bombardment of the town of Nussa (mentioned in despatches); was lieutenant in the Northumberland during the Egyptian War of 1882 (medal, and the Khedive's star). He held the appointment of Master of the Fleet for the Coronation Naval Review, 1902. He is no stranger to the China Station, having been commander and navigating officer of the battleship Centurion, flagship of Sir E. H. Seymour, K. C. B., when he commanded the station, 1898-1901. Latterly Captain Tuke was in command of the gunnery ship Undaunted, and the Thebes, tender to the gunnery ship Cambridge, Devonport.

The cruiser Hyacinth, ex-flagship of the East Indies Squadron, which is on the passage home from the East, will undergo an extensive refit at Devonport before she again hoists the pennant. The sum of £28,635 will be expended on her, and some alterations will be made in her armament. The Hyacinth was commissioned as flagship of the squadron on the 21st July, 1902, to relieve her sister cruiser Highflyer. Since going to the East, the Hyacinth's crew took part in the operations against the Mad Mullah in Somaliland, and from her was landed a party which captured Illig just two years ago.

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AVIS

L'Assemblée Générale tenue le 27 Mars 1906 n'ayant pas réuni le nombre d'actions requis pour approuver la modification proposée aux Statuts, Messieurs les Actionnaires sont convoqués à nouveau en Assemblée Générale Extraordinaire pour le mardi 17 Avril 1906 à 4 heures de l'après-midi, au Siège Social dans les Bureaux de Messieurs Russell, Kerr et Wyatt, Maison Chawarbi Pachas, rue Kasr el Nil, au Caire.

Dans cette nouvelle réunion la résolution ci-dessus deviendra définitive si l'assemblée se compose au moins de la moitié du Capital Social.

ORDRE DU JOUR.

Approbation de la Résolution ci-dessus, votée par l'Assemblée Générale du 17 Mars 1906.

RÉSOLUTION.

Le Capital Social est porté à 250,000 francs par l'émission de 10,000 nouvelles actions ordinaires de 25 francs. Ces Actions seront émises au pair. Les souscripteurs paieront en outre dix ballons par action, représentant les Coupons Nos. 1 et 2, attachés aux nouvelles actions, de façon à ce que ces actions aient les mêmes droits que celles déjà existantes. La somme de 25,000 francs des dites coupons sera portée à un compte spécial.

En conséquence, les Articles 5 et 6 des Statuts sont rédigés comme suit :

ART. 5.

Le Capital Social est fixé à cent cinquante mille Livres Sterling.

ART. 6.

Le Capital est représenté par trente mille actions ordinaires de cinq livres Sterling chacune.

Il est en outre créé huit mille actions de dividende, sans désignation de valeur.

Deux mille actions ordinaires entièrement libérées et six mille actions de dividende sont réservées à la rémunération des apports spécifiés à l'Acte Préliminaire auquel les présents Statuts sont annexés.

Toutes actions émises en augmentation du Capital Social ne pourront être émises au-dessous du pair. Si elles sont émises au-dessous du pair, l'excédent sera mis à la réserve.

Il ne pourra jamais être créé de nouvelles actions de dividende.

Tout Actionnaire a le droit d'assister à l'Assemblée Générale à condition de déposer ses actions quatre jours avant l'Assemblée soit au plus tard le 12 avril 1906 dans l'un des établissements ci-après désignés, ou il lui sera délivré une carte d'admission.

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Les Agences ci-dessus mentionnées ont le mandat des formules de procuration aux Actionnaires qui désirent se faire représenter par un autre actionnaire (Art. 25 des Statuts).

Le Caire le 30 Mars 1906. 27639-3-3

BANCO di ROMA

Il est porté à la connaissance du Public que l'Assemblée Générale Ordinaire des Actionnaires, qui a eu lieu à Rome le 29 Mars dernier, a fixé à Lit. 7 le dividende pour l'exercice 1905.

Ce dividende est payable en Egypte au Siège du Banco di Roma à Alexandria, contre remise du Coupon No. 8 à partir du 5 Avril 1906. 27637-4-4

Administration des Chemins de Fer de l'Etat Égyptien.

AVIS

L'Administration des Chemins de Fer et des Télégraphes de l'Etat a l'honneur de faire savoir au public qu'un bureau télégraphique a été ouvert à la gare de Sidi-Salem, dépendant de la Delta Light Railway Co. près du Sidi, pour l'échange des correspondances intérieures en langues européennes et arabe.

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Les souscripteurs auront le droit de se libérer entièrement à la répartition sous bonification d'un intérêt de 4 % par an sur le dernier versement de fr. 90.

Les versements qui n'auraient pas été effectués aux dates fixées seront passibles d'un intérêt de 6 % par an, jusqu'au 31 Aout 1906. Passée cette date les actions sur lesquelles il restait des versements en souffrance, seront vendues sans préavis au ordre; formalités, pour compte des souscripteurs, par l'entremise de deux courtiers à la Bourse d'Athènes.

Si les demandes dépassent le nombre d'actions offertes au public, la Banque Nationale de Grèce se réserve tout droit pour le règlement de la répartition.

On peut souscrire de la présente par lettre adressée à la Banque Nationale de Grèce Athènes, accompagnée du 1er versement.

Athènes, Mars 1906. 27658-3-3

Egyptian State Railways.

NOTICE.

The Egyptian State Railways hereby gives notice to the public that the Administration requires 40 pupils—who will be trained for the Traffic Service—who will be their being appointed as assistant guards in Upper or Lower Egypt. Competitive examination for the admission of pupils to fill these vacancies will be held on and after the 21st April proximo, before a Special Commission at Cairo Station.

Candidates must fulfil the following conditions :

1st.—They must be of Egyptian nationality ;

2nd.—They must be of good character ;

3rd.—They must have a fair knowledge of a European language (English or French) ;

4th.—They must be medically fit for Railway service ;

5th.—They must be between the age of 20 and 25 years ;

6th.—On being admitted, candidates must sign an engagement that they will work either in Upper or Lower Egypt during the whole or part of their service, as may be ordered by the Administration ;

7th.—Pupils receive P.T. 8 per day each during the period allowed for training on trains working and will receive higher pay when they have passed a satisfactory examination.

Candidates desiring of attending the above examination, are required to send their names to the Traffic Manager, before 15th April.

Candidates present themselves at the place of examination will first of all be required to undergo an examination as to medical fitness, and not be allowed to proceed further with the examination unless they qualify in this.

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